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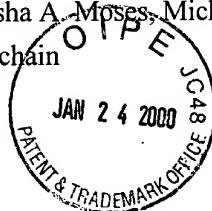
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For: NON-INVASIVE ENZYME SCREEN FOR  
TISSUE REMODELLING-ASSOCIATED  
CONDITIONS

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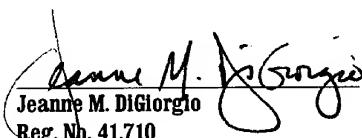
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

~~Prior to examination, please amend the application as follows:~~

In the Claims:

Please amend claim 1 and add the following new claims:

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